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(Old) IP Based Distributed Virtual SAN

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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

Sir:

30 In response to the Office Action of December 4, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begin on page 25 of this paper.

35 **Amendments to the Abstract** begin on page 38 of this paper and include an attached replacement sheet.

**Amendments to the Drawings** begin on page 40 of this paper and include both an attached replacement sheet and an annotated sheet showing changes.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 44 of this paper.